

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES - APCS(Ex.Br) Rules – Regularization of services and declaration of probation with in the normal period in the cadre of Probationary Deputy Tahsildars by invoking Rule 16 (h) of APS&SS Rules,1996 – Orders – Issued

REVENUE (SER.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.123

Dated:18.01.2012
Read the following

1. From the C.C.L.A., Lr.No.Spl.X2/1200/2010 dt:02.2.2011.
2. Govt. Memo.No.5319/Ser.III(2)/2011, Dated: 17.11.2011
3. From the CCLA., Hyd., Lr.No.X1/954/2010, dt.23.11.2011
4. From APPSC Lr.No.1749/DTM/2001, dt:26.05.2011

ORDER :

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad in his ref dated:23.11.2011, while furnishing Zone-wise details of 18 probationary Dy.Tahsildars who have passed the departmental tests beyond the prescribed period of probation due to delay in conduct of examination and announcement of results by the APPSC has requested the Government to relax Rule 16 (h) of APS&SS Rules, 1996 in their favour.

2. Every employee recruited to a service has to pass the departmental tests within a period of 3 years including extension period of one year from the date of joining as laid down in Rule 17 (b) read with Rule 16 of the APS & SS Rules. This is subject to the condition of APPSC conducting the prescribed departmental tests as per schedule stipulated in the Departmental Test Rules. 1965. As per Rule 6 and 7 of the Andhra Pradesh Departmental Test Rules, 1965, the APPSC has to conduct the departmental tests twice in a year and notification of the said exams has to be issued in the month of January and July and examination has to be conducted in May and November in a year. As per the said rules, the results should be published on or before last Thursday of July for the examination conducted during the month of May and on or before last Thursday of January of the succeeding year for the examination conducted during the November of the previous year.

3. Government have examined the matter carefully and observe as follows.

- a) The individuals mentioned at Sl.Nos. 1,2,5,7,8,10,12,14,16 and 17 in the Annexure to this order have appeared for their respective last departmental tests scheduled for January' 2007 session. The APPSC has actually issued notification for the said January' 2007 session in the month of Nov'2007 (with 10 months delay). Further the examination was conducted in the month of February'2008 (with 9 months delay) and results were published in the month of June'2008 ((with 11 months delay). Had the departmental test been conducted on time i.e., in May'2007 and the results published on time in July 2007, the individuals would have passed the departmental tests within 3 years from the date of their joining.
- b) Similarly the individuals mentioned at Sl.Nos. 3,4,6,9,11,13,15 and 18 in the Annexure to this order have appeared in the last departmental test scheduled for July'2007 session. The APPSC has issued the notification for the said July 2007 session in the month of Aug'2008 (with 13 months delay). Further the examination was conducted in the

month of October/ November' 2008 (with 11 to 12 months delay) and results were published in the month of February/April'2009 (with 12 to 14 months delay) Had the departmental test been conducted on time i.e., in Nov'2007 and the results published on time in Jan'2008, the individuals would have passed the departmental tests within 3 years from the date of their joining.

4. In the above circumstances, it is considered that the delay in passing the departmental tests is not due to the fault of the individuals but due to delay in conducting of departmental tests by the APPSC. Since, the delay in passing of tests cannot be attributed to the individuals it is decided to relax the provisions of 16(h) of Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service Rules 1996 in favour of the 18 individuals mentioned in the annexure appended to this order by invoking the powers of relaxation conferred under Rule 31 of APS& SS Rules, 1996 in order to obviate undue hardship to them.

5. Accordingly, under rule 31 of APS & SS Rules, 1996, Government hereby order to relax the provisions of 16(h) of Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 in favour of the individuals mentioned in the annexure appended to this order and to declare that they shall be deemed to have completed their probation within the normal period of probation in the cadre of DT and commenced their probation from the date of their joining.

6. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**ASUTOSH MISHRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To:
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad.

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER